

The United States Army Band "Pershing's Own"

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The U.S. Army Chorus

he U.S. Army Chorus was established in 1956 as the vocal counterpart of The U.S. Army Band and is one of the nation's only professional, all-male choruses. From its inception, The Army Chorus has established and maintained a reputation of excellence in the performance of male choral literature. Beyond the traditional military music and patriotic standards, the repertoire of The Army Chorus covers a broad spectrum that includes pop, Broadway, folk, and classical music.

The Army Chorus often performs at the White House at functions hosted by the Departments of State and is a standard feature at events for each presidential inaugural. World leaders, such as Queen Elizabeth II, the Princess of Thailand, former British Prime Minister John Major, and former Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev have been serenaded in their native tongues, as The Army Chorus is able to sing in more than twenty-six foreign languages. In recent years, The Army Chorus has performed with the San Francisco Symphony, National Symphony, Grant Park Symphony (Chicago), and with Mormon Tabernacle Choir.

The men of The Army Chorus, most of whom hold advanced degrees in music, are selected from the nation's finest musicians. Many former members have gone on to successful careers in music education and as soloists on Broadway and opera stages around the world.

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